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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicants: Hiroki KANAI

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For: STORAGE DEVICE CONTROLLING DEVICE AND CONTROL  
METHOD FOR STORAGE DEVICE CONTROLLING DEVICE

Group: 2187

Examiner: M. A. Bradley

**AMENDMENT**

**MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Sir:

December 18, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2006, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims**

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.